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Notice.	Administrator's Sale.
We are now ready to give cotton. We are prepared to give you the best service. Bring us your cotton, satisfaction guaranteed. Winham Gin Co., J. M. Garrett, Mgr. Treatment of Sores. Apply Hanford's Balm light and you will find that gradually the sore will diminish in size. The older the case the longer it will take, but it will cure the third case, after other remedies fail.	Estate of W. V. A. Redman, of Coffee County, deceased. J. A. at Elba, Ala. Under and by virtue of a decree of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Ala., at Elba, Ala., rendered by the Hon. S. N. Rowe, Judge of said court, on the 18th day of Sept., 1911, I will on the 18th day of October 1911, within the legal hours of sale, sell at the homestead of the late Jacob Redman, near A. P. Jones' present residence in Covington County, Ala., the highest bidder for cash, the following described lands, which belong to the estate of said W. V. A. Redman, deceased: S. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 and N. E. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 Sec 16, Tp 3, Range 19, and 1/2 acre on south side of N. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 Sec 16, Tp 3, Range 19, said 1/2 acre being the particular land on which the late residence of the said W. V. A. Redman, deceased, now stands, all of which lands are situated and being in Coffee County, Ala. Also N. E. 1/4 of Sec 13, Tp 4, Range 18, and lot No. 4 and W. 1/2 of lot No. 5, in block N. R. in Brown's addition to the town of Opp, Ala., which lands are situated and being in Covington County, Ala. Said lands will be sold for the purpose of division among the heirs and distributees of said estate, and will be sold in such lots, or tracts as the administrator may deem to be the best interest of said estate. Said sale is subject to the confirmation of the court. This the 18th day of Sept. 1911. A. P. Stanly, Administrator.

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Rainer's Old Stand.

East Side Square.

Elba, Alabama.

Good Work by Lorimer.

Senator Lorimer of Illinois is now doing some of the best work of his more or less public career. He is on the stump opposing direct legislation. With Mr. Lorimer in the open against it, there should be no doubt of its success. He asserts that the mob will rule if I. & R. become the law in Illinois. One wonders what the mob could produce worse than Lorimer. He is the flower of the caucus-and-convention system, and therefore believes the common people incapable of governing themselves directly. A certain measure of democracy having resulted in sending him to the Senate of the United States, beginners in the study of government might be excused for doubting the workability of the entire democratic scheme of things. Still there is nothing to which we can return save monarchy, and we shall hardly try that, even under the disgust caused by Lorimerism. Perhaps we had better march on to real people's power—leaving him and his kind behind. "The cure for the evils of democracy is more democracy."—Farm & Fireside.

Clean Men In Office.

It will not be long before elections will be held in the several counties of the state for some county offices and many of the papers are urging upon the citizens the necessity of electing good clean and honest men to office. The time has come when the people will no longer tolerate the "political boss" or the tool of a political gang or clique. They are realizing more and more the men they vote for must have something back of them besides a political record. "A study of political conditions in this country shows that voters

The Habit Builder.

How shall I a habit break? As you did that habit make. As you gathered, you must lose; As you yielded, now refuse. Thread by thread the strands we twist, Till they bind us neck and wrist; Thread by thread the patient hand Must untwine, ere free we stand. As we builded stone by stone, We must toil, unhelped, alone. Till the wall is overthrown. But remember, as we try, Lighter every test goes by; Lighter in, the stream grows deep Toward the center's downward sweep; Backward turn, each step ashore Leveling what we raised in haste, Doing what must be undone, Ere content or love be won! First, across the gulf we cast Rite-borne threads, till lines are passed. And habit builds the bridge at last! —John Boyle O'Reilly.

MILD, GENTLE LAXATIVE FOR WOMEN GIVEN FREE

So many of the ills of women are due to habitual constipation, probably because of their false modesty on the subject, that their attention cannot be too strongly called to the importance of keeping the bowels open. It is always important to do that, regardless of the sex, but it is especially important in women. From the time the girl begins to menstruate until menopause ceases she has always vastly better prospects of coming through healthy if she watches her bowel movements. If you find yourself constipated, with bad breath, pimply complexion, headaches, belching gas and other symptoms of indigestion and constipation, take a small dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is woman's favorite laxative. You will find that you can do away with salts, sugar cathartics, etc., which are entirely unsuited to woman's requirements. Mrs. Katherine Haberstroh of McKees Rocks, Pa., and Mrs. A. E. Herick of Wheeler, Mich., who was almost paralyzed in her stomach and bowels, are now cured by the use of this remedy. A free sample bottle can be obtained by addressing Dr. Caldwell, and after you are convinced of its merits buy it of your druggist at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle. For the free sample address Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 402 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

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THE COFFEE COUNTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

At New Ebenezer Church: Session Begins October 18: Ends October 20.

The Coffee County Baptist Association will be held at New Ebenezer Church, six miles west of Elba, on October 18, 19, and 20, 1911. This will be the 4th annual association, the last having been held at County Line Church, east of Enterprise, Alabama.

This association was organized at Calvary Church near Clintonville, in 1908, by consolidating the old Pea River Association and the Haw Ridge Association. There are about thirty churches within the association, and nearly all of them being in Coffee County. All the Baptist churches in the County are in the association known as the Coffee County Association.

The session to be held this year is expected to be the best and largest ever held. New Ebenezer church is located in a fine community, and the messengers and visitors will be well cared for.

For those who desire to come to Elba on trains, teams will be furnished to convey them to the association grounds. All who expect to come this way should notify Rev. D. P. Lee or J. A. Carnley a few days before the 18th, stating the train on which they will arrive.

If they come at night, homes will be provided for them in Elba for the night.

The following is a list of committees appointed to prepare reports for the association. The chairmen of the committees should see that all reports are ready by the time of meeting:

STANDING COMMITTEE TO REPORT.

On Foreign Missions—O P Bentley, Enterprise, Alabama; R C Conner and C W Simmons.

Home Missions—C O Helms, Elba, Alabama; R M Wilder and Y W Rainer.

State Missions—P L Moseley, Ozark, Alabama; W C Jones and B G Byrd.

Orphan's Home—A J Wise, Victoria, Alabama; J F Brooks and Alvin Martin.

Sunday Schools—Y W Rainer, Elba, Alabama; J M Hickman and W H Edmonds.

Education—D P Lee, Elba, Alabama; G W Carlisle and W P Boyd.

Temperance—G W Carlisle, Enterprise, Alabama; W F Nichols, J B Martin.

Colportage—R J Adamson, Elba, Alabama; H S Nichols, I M Dubose.

Woman's Work—Mrs. P. L. Moseley, Ozark, Alabama; Mrs. F. P. Rainer and Mrs. B. L. Byrd.

Religious Literature—R S Martin, Daleville, Alabama; C O Snellgrove, D F Sutley.

Deceased Ministers and Deacons—J D Fuller, New Brockton, Alabama; A W Jones and A V Harrell.

State of Religion in our Churches—T J Carlisle, Enterprise, Alabama; H H Blackman and Romulus Martin.

Delegate to Southern Baptist Convention—D P Lee.

Delegates to State Convention—P L Moseley, C O Helms, H S Nichols, R J Adamson and O P Bentley.

Executive Committee—A J Wise, W C Jones, R M Wilder, H Edmonds, B G Byrd, J T Eageron, W F Nichols and T T Brooks.

To Preach Introductory Sermon

LITTLE BOY IS LEFT ALONE BY FATHER.

After Staying in Coffee County One Year, His Mother is Notified

Little Aoy Stokes, about 12 years old, was left alone here, according to his story, about one year ago by his father, Will Stokes. After remaining in Coffee County until a few days ago, and while in Elba, he was heard to say that he wished he could go to his mother. Upon inquiry he related the following story:

"My father left me here in Elba about a year ago. He went home with Mr. John Mack Stokes and I went home with Mr. Ed Smith. My father then went to Dothan, and wrote me a letter. I have forgotten what he wrote me. I have not heard from him since. My father is named Will Stokes. He took me and two of my brothers, one named Stonewall, six years old, and the other named Wallace, 4 years old, and left my mother and oldest brother in South Carolina. He left Stonewall and Wallace at Whigham, Ga., with a turpentine and saw mill man named Mr. Peoples. He brought me to Coffee county and worked with a Mr. Ellis at New Brockton, and then came to Elba where he left me. I have been working to get money so I could go home to my mother. I have been living with Mr. Bill Rushing, about ten miles above Elba. I can pick 150 pounds of cotton a day. Mr. Rushing's little boy said he would help me get some money to go home to my mother, but I haven't got any yet. I don't care whether I see my father any more or not. I want to go home to my mother."

After hearing his story, Miss Sydney Rainer, of Elba, wrote to his mother and told her about her boy. She at once received a letter from Mrs. Addie Stokes thanking her for the information and urging that her boy be sent to her. The letter states that the mother has no money to pay the child's expenses home, but that she will send the money later if possible, and will pray for all who will help her get her dear child home. Immediately upon learning the facts about the little boy, citizens of Elba went to work to raise the money to buy the boy some clothes and to send him to his mother. Mr. W. J. Hutchison took the little boy and a position and went around and soon raised the necessary funds to get the little fellow ready to begin his homeward journey.

Fire At Atmore.

Fire broke out last night at 11:00 o'clock in some wooden buildings opposite the depot at Atmore and was not gotten under control until two o'clock this morning. The buildings were owned by G. W. Trammell and Cransley Bros., and were occupied by A. T. Lee's grocery store and barber shop, Williamson and others.—Pine Belt News.

White Water Wins From Victoria.

Victoria and White Water crossed bats on the Elba ball diamond Saturday with a score of 8 to 2 in favor of White Water. Batteries—Kelley and Thomas; Bowman, Devane and Bowman.

Goods Not Burned.

Some time ago Jim Head a merchant at Black Rock lost his store by fire. It was supposed that all the goods were destroyed by the fire. There was no insurance on the goods, but Head owed considerable money to different parties, among them was the Wholesale Company at Luverne.

Another County Goes Dry.

Clayton, Ala., Oct. 9.—An election to determine whether or not the sale of whiskey should be legalized in Barbour County was held today and majorities given at eight o'clock tonight are as follows:

Eufaula, 67 wet; Clayton, 85 dry; Beat 18, 201 dry; Beat 9, 100 dry; Beat 12, 3 wet; Beat 3, 25 dry. Conservative estimated places the majority for prohibition at 800.

Self Reliance.

(Continued from last week.)

Some are waiting for money which may come from a father's fortune, from a rich uncle, or some distant relative. Others are waiting for that mysterious something called "luck," a "pull" or a "boost" to help them.

I have never known a person who had this habit of waiting for help, or for somebody to give him a boost, waiting for somebody's money, or waiting for assistance of any kind, or for luck to come to him, that ever amounted to much.

It is the man who strips himself or every prop, who throws away his crutches, burns his bridges behind him, and depends upon himself, that wins. Self-reliance is the key which opens the door to achievement. Self-reliance is the unfolder of power.

It is astonishing how many people there are in the world looking for help, for a pull, waiting for something to come to them without payment of the legitimate price.

There is nothing which will so undermine self-confidence, which is the very foundation stone of all achievement, as the habit of expecting help from others.

A man at the head of a large business recently said that he was trying to place his son in another business house, where he would get hard knocks. He did not want him to start with him because he was afraid he might lean on him or expect favors.

Boys who are pampered by their fathers, allowed to come to business at all sorts of hours, to leave when they please, and to remain away when they feel like it, rarely amount to much. It is the development of self-reliance that gives strength and confidence.

Depending on oneself is what develops the power of achievement, the ability to do things.

This is why boys who never amount to much at home, when they are always helped by their fathers, often develop a marvelous ability in a short time when they are thrown upon their own resources, when they are obliged to do, or bear the disgrace of failure.

The moment you give up trying to get help from others, and become independent and self-reliant, you will start on the road to success.

Outside help may seem to you a blessing at times; but is usually a curse because of its crippling power. People who give you money are not your best friends. Your friends are those who urge you, who force you to depend upon yourself, to help yourself.

There are plenty of people older than you are, with only one leg or one arm, who manage to earn a living, while you who are healthy and physically able to work are looking to others for assistance.

An able-bodied person can feel that he is quite a man while he is dependent. When one has a trade, a profession, or some kind of occupation which makes him absolutely independent, he feels a sense of added power, resourcefulness, completeness, which nothing else can give. Responsibility discovers ability. Many a youth discovers himself for the first time when he goes into business for himself. He might have worked for years for somebody else without ever finding himself.

It is not possible to develop one's utmost possibilities while working for somebody else. There is not the motive, the same reach of ambition or enthusiasm. No matter how conscientious to duty, there is not the same stimulus or incentive to bring out the possible man that God intended. The best in a man is his independence.

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ence, his self-reliance, his originality, and these will never reach their highest expression under service to somebody else while human nature remains what it is now.

It is only when the brain is tested to its utmost, when every bit of ingenuity and sagacity the young man possesses must come to the rescue of a possible failure that he will develop his greatest strength. It takes months and years of effort to stretch small capital over a larger business without danger. It is the perpetual struggle to keep up appearances, to get and to hold, customers, that will call out the reserve in a young man. It is when money is scarce and business dull, and living high, that the real man is making his greatest progress. Where there is no struggle, there is no growth, no character.

What are the chances of the youth's developing his own innate resources who knows he has money enough by his "education" and need not work for it, an unpaid tutor to help him cram for examinations? What are the chances of his bucking down to hard study, working nights and parts of holidays, of seizing every spare minute for self-betterment, self-improvement, in the same way as the boy who knows he will not have a dollar which he does not earn, who knows there is no rich father or uncle backing him?

How can a boy develop any self-reliance or independent manliness by having somebody else do practically everything for him? It is the exercise of a faculty that makes it strong. It is the struggle to attain that brings out the stamina.

How Struggle Develops Character.

I do not believe it is possible for a man to put forth the same amount of exertion, to struggle with the same desperation of purpose as when he feels that all outside help has been cut off; that he must stand or fall by his own exertion; that he must make his own way in the world or bear the ignominy of failure.

There is something about the situation of being thrown absolutely upon one's own resources, with no possibility of outside help, that calls out the greatest, grandest thing in a man; that brings out the last reserve of effort, just as a mighty emergency, a great fire, or other catastrophe calls out powers which the victim never before dreamed he possessed. Power from somewhere has come to his relief. He feels himself a giant, doing things which were impossible for him just before the emergency. But now his life is in peril. The wrecked car in which he is imprisoned may take fire, or he may drown if he clings to the wrecked ship. Something must be done instantly; and, like the invalid mother who sees her child in peril, the power, the force which comes only in sheer desperation, rushes to him and he feels a strength which he never before felt aiding him to escape.

Man has always remained close to the brute where he has not had to struggle to supply his necessities. Want has ever been the great developer of the race. Necessity has been the spur which has whipped man up from the Hottentots to the highest civilization.

Inventors, with pinched, hungry faces of children staring them in the face, have reached into the depths of their being and laid hold of powers which wrought miracles. Oh, what has not been achieved under the pressure of want, of stern necessity! We never know what is in us until we are put to the test, until some great crisis uncovers the hidden

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Blind tolerance alone can run blind tigers.

Mosquitoes are about the liveliest things in Elba.

Don't think you have the people fooled; they know you well enough.

There is a kind of a back-biter in Elba that is so small that he cannot be screened against.

Education of the right sort is the best thing parents can give their children.

Taxation is fast becoming a system of legal robbery in this country.

There is a great need of some better system of marketing the great cotton crop of this country.

Mighty few men sacrifice themselves these days for the good of the "dear people".

No training is worth the while that does not include the principles of a true and noble character.

There is entirely too much of training up a child in the way he should NOT go in this old world.

Cotton is selling entirely too cheap. The producer ought to fix the price of his product.

If a man has plenty of money he is counted great. What standard is this poor old world has any way.

The little medicine bottle so prominent in the blind tiger business is a disgrace to the fair name of pure drugs.

The poor deluded fellow that sells whiskey unlawfully is after the money of the poor victim of drink who wants the whiskey.

You blind tiger man, listen; your eyes will be opened some time, and you will see something worse than red liquor. For he not deceived, man will reap what he sows.

Officers of the law deserve much credit for wading into the blind tiger quagmire and capturing the unlawful goods, and the good law-abiding people should and will stand by them in the discharge of these unpleasant duties.

A merchant who spends two or three hundred dollars a month on clerk hire, store rent, insurance, etc., should put at least \$50 a month in advertising. It will help the clerk earn their money and will also make. This may not be the opinion of some crooked dealers but it is the opinion of the greatest merchant prince in the world—Graceville Advertiser.

The following paragraph, going the rounds and credited to an exchange tells much truth: "When you pull down the town in which is your home, you are pulling down yourself, and when you build up yourself you are building up your town. Try and banish from your mind the mistaken idea that all good things are away off in some other locality. Give your town all the praise it can legitimately bear. It will certainly do you no harm and it will cost you nothing; and above all, it will recognize your home institutions, including the printing office."

The Star and Hobson.

Montgomery Journal.

The Andalusia Star still insists that Congressman Hobson repudiated the democratic platform when he made speeches for the constitutional prohibition amendment, and goes further this time and accuses The Journal of doing the same thing.

Still, the esteemed Montgomery Journal doesn't tell us that it was wrong for Hobson to attempt constitutional prohibition when the democratic platform in Alabama pledged the people that they should have local option. Up in Maine, Hobson stumped the state for constitutional prohibition when the democratic platform pledged a repeal of constitutional prohibition. How are we to judge a man's politics, unless by his adherence to platform pledges?

Really, a man couldn't be a good Baptist if he always attended the Methodist church. If memory serves us correctly, the Elba Clipper, the Montgomery Journal and Congressman Hobson stood together to repudiate platform pledges in Alabama a few years ago and it is right that they should stand together now.

Didn't a democratic legislature pass a general prohibition bill and then pass a bill calling for the submission of an amendment to the constitution providing for prohibition? Does the editor of the Star mean to say that every citizen of Alabama who spoke in behalf of it, and voted for, the constitutional amendment repudiated "platform pledges" and is not a good democrat? "Really, a fellow wouldn't be a good Baptist if he always attended the Methodist church," says the Star. Yet, he could be just as good a Christian and the same applies in the case of Congressman Hobson's democracy.

The editor of the Star is in error when he states that The Journal repudiated platform pledges "in Alabama a few years ago," and it would be pleased to have the Star point out where it has done so. The Journal believes in the old democratic doctrine of the majority ruling and in free speech.

During the last legislature there were many members of the legislature elected upon pledges made to their home people. Some of the pledges made were that they would vote against any bill to legalize the sale of liquor in Alabama. Some of these legislators voted otherwise, if the reports published in some of the weekly papers are correct. Now, we ask Editor Doty did these legislators do right? Was it their duty to vote for local option because the platform called for it, or was there a greater duty imposed upon them by their pledges made directly to their local constituents before they were elected?

If a member of the legislature had been elected upon a local option pledge made to his county people and had voted against local option bills, wouldn't he be going against the wishes of his constituents as much as the man who was elected as a prohibitionist and who voted for the local option bills? Which would be "repudiating" the platform for the party?

Doesn't a member of the legislature owe his first duty to his own constituents?

And that is local option. That is what local option, or county option means. Does the esteemed and talented editor of the Star see the point?

The Journal is not familiar with the conditions in Maine, but should judge they were like they were in Alabama, where father and son, brother and brother, and friend and friend, were arrayed, the one against the other.

The Journal does not know whether a majority of the votes cast against prohibition in Maine were cast by the democrats or republicans. It does believe, however, that there were many good and faithful democrats who voted against repealing the prohibition amendment and that many old

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WOMAN'S DISPLAY

EXCELLENT EXHIBITS FROM ALABAMA WOMEN AT ALABAMA STATE EXPOSITION IN MONTGOMERY.

This Department Will Occupy Large Space on Second Floor of the Main Exhibition Building, and Will Be on Elaborate Scale.

Montgomery, Ala.—The Woman's Department this fall at the Alabama State Exposition, which will be held in Montgomery the week of October 1922, will be extremely interesting, and will be on a larger scale than ever before.

The exhibits in this department will consist of needlework, textile and art, and already the manager of the Woman's Department has received applications from hundreds of entrants. Alabama women promise to compete against each other for the prizes offered, not so much for their intrinsic value as for the honor of capturing first, second and third prize ribbons. However, the cash premiums offered this year are very attractive.

Prominent Alabama women from Montgomery, Birmingham, Selma, Opelika, Union Springs, Autauga, Troy, Mobile, Demopolis, Montevallo, Evergreen, Brewton, Laverne and many other Alabama towns have already entered their names for exhibits and entry blanks, signed up, have been received from Illinois, District of Columbia, Georgia and Tennessee.

The women of Alabama seem more enthused this year over the Woman's Department of the Montgomery Exposition than during many years past, and the manager of this department and Secretary Barnes are very enthusiastic over the bright prospects.

The Woman's Department occupies a separate part of the main exhibit building, on the second floor, and is a department all its own, which has in the past proven quite a feature of the Montgomery expositions. Rest rooms will be established in close proximity for the comfort and convenience of the ladies who attend the exposition this fall.

FINE HORSE RACES.

Excellent Card of Racing Events Arranged for Exposition at Montgomery.

Montgomery, Ala.—Some very excellent horse racing will be seen at the Alabama State Exposition at Montgomery during the week of October 1922 and a string of the finest race horses ever seen in the South will be stable on the exposition grounds and take part in the different heats.

The exposition company has offered large and attractive purses to the winners this year and as a result, the program of racing is extremely interesting. There will be both harness and running races.

The track, which is considered one of the fastest in the Southern circuit, is being rolled over and put in first-class condition.

MUSIC GALORE.

Two Great Brass Bands Secured for Alabama State Exposition at Montgomery.

Montgomery, Ala.—A feature of the Alabama State Exposition at Montgomery, October 1922, this year, will be the music.

Two great bands have been engaged for the entire week, namely, the Imperial Italian Band, of Italy, and the American Military Band of New York City. There will be music morning, afternoon and night and for concerts at night the two big bands will be combined.

Every detail of the big exposition this fall has been worked out carefully by President Abernethy and Secretary Barnes and in securing the two above named bands, visitors to the exposition can be assured of par excellence music.

CARNIVAL FEATURES.

Splendid List of Shows Has Been Secured for Exposition at Montgomery.

Montgomery, Ala.—Every exposition has a midway or carnival of paid shows, but the midway at the Alabama State Exposition in Montgomery during the week of October 1922 will be the largest and best of its kind ever seen at a Southern exposition.

The midway this year at the Montgomery exposition will consist of a carnival company of twenty big paid shows, all of a novel and high-class order. The carnival company will bring its own special brass band with it, and the shows will be open morning, afternoon and evening. The midway this year will occupy more space than usual on account of the large tents shown, and each one is guaranteed by the management as being well worth the price of admission charged.

power which lies so deep in our beings that no ordinary occasion can call it out. It responds only in emergencies, in desperation, because we do not know how to reach deep enough in the great within of ourselves to lay hold of it.

Accomplishing The "Impossible".

A boy was telling his father of seeing a woodchuck up a tree. His father told him that was impossible for woodchuck did not climb trees. The boy insisted that a dog got between the woodchuck and his hole and he just had to climb the tree. There was no other way out of it.

We do "impossible" things in life simply because we have to.

Self-reliance has been the best substitute for friends, influence, capital, a pedigree, or assistance. It has mastered more obstacles, overcome more difficulties, carried through more enterprises, perfected more inventions than any other human quality.

There is something in human nature which loves the genuine, the true, the man who has an opinion of his own and dares to assert it, who has a creed and dares to live it, who has convictions and dares to stand by them.

There is a powerful tonic in holding the conviction that you are in the world for a purpose; that you have a part to perform which no one else can take for you, because everyone else has his own part to fill in the great life drama. If you do not act your role, there will be something lacking, a want in the production. No one ever amounts to much until he feels this pressure—that he was made to accomplish a certain thing, to fill a definite part. Then life seems to take on a new meaning.

5 or 6 doses of "Gee" will cure any case of chills and fever. Price 25c.

Kin-Lax will take the place of calomel. City Drug Co.

Tax Notice.

Tax Collector's and Assessor's Appointments.

Pursuant to the law as found in Act approved March 5, 1901, page 2593, Acts 1900-1, we will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of assessing and collecting taxes for the County of Coffee and State of Alabama, to-wit:

First Round.

At Victoria, Monday, October 30th, 1911.

At Enterprise, four days beginning on Wednesday, October 25, and ending the following Saturday.

Second Round.

At Victoria, Saturday November 19.

At Enterprise, four days beginning Wednesday, November 22, and ending the following Saturday.

Third Round.

At Victoria, Monday December 4th.

At Enterprise, four days beginning Wednesday, December 13, and ending the following Saturday.

On all other legal business days from October 1st, to December 31, we will be at our offices in the court house at Elba for the purpose of assessing and collecting taxes.

Taxes Fall Due on October 1st,

and become delinquent after Dec. 31, after which interest and costs accrue.

Poll tax may be paid by those who so desire between October 1st and February 1st.

Property should be listed for assessment between October 1 and January 1, after which date costs accrue. Come yourself to list your property for assessment, unless tax payer is woman or disabled.

Tax payers are urged to meet as early as practicable, for paying taxes and assessing taxes.

J M Folsom, Tax Collector,
Jack D Lee, Tax Assessor.

THE

Elba Bank & Trust Co.,

OPENS FOR BUSINESS TODAY.

Watch this space for their announcement, which will appear later.

Gives Aid to Strikers.

Sometimes liver, kidneys and bowels seem to go on a strike and refuse to work right. Then you need those pleasant little strike-breakers—Dr. King's New Life Pills—to give them natural aid, and gently compel proper action. Excellent health soon follows. Try them. 25c at All Druggists.

J. Q. Deese Dead.

J. Q. Deese, of Shellhorn, died at the home of a friend near Victoria in Coffee County. Mr. Deese was a confederate veteran and served during the war with Co. 1, 15th, Alabama Regiment. He is well known in this and adjoining counties having traveled over this territory selling medicine. His death was very sudden. Mr. Deese was 70 years old at the time of his death, was a native Piker and for the greater part of his life has lived in the vicinity of this city.

He is survived by his immediate family who live near Shellhorn, one brother and one sister, who live at Brundidge. The burial occurred at Shellhorn yesterday. The death of Mr. Deese will be greatly regretted by his numerous friends.—Troy Herald.

5 or 6 doses of Kin-Lax will cure any case of biliousness. City Drug Co.

Fire Insurance.

I have taken charge of the Insurance business of Boyd Bros., and same will have the prompt and careful attention as heretofore. All policies will be renewed where not advised to the contrary.

Nothing but first class responsible Companies will be represented, so in case of fire you will have what you have paid for—PROTECTION.

Soliciting your business, I am

John M. Garrett,
Elba, Alabama.

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Prompt Powerful Permanent
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TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF JUDGE SANDERS.

Local Lawyers Adopt Resolutions In His Memory, at Meeting Held Tuesday.

Tuesday, just a week after his death, the lawyers of Elba, Alabama, met in the Circuit Court room, in a memorial service in honor of Judge J. F. Sanders. Hon. J. A. Carnley was elected Chairman of the meeting. The County officers were invited to attend, and they closed their offices and did so. Several feeling talks were made, and a tribute of respect was drawn up and adopted. The following is the tribute of respect.

At this meeting of the Elba bar, called for the solemn purpose of paying tribute to the memory of our lamented brother-lawyer, it is fitting that some points of interest and importance in the story of his life be narrated.

Raised in a cultured and refined home atmosphere, Judge J. F. Sanders in youth acquired studious and thoughtful tastes, which followed him through his life and became parts of his being. These tastes and inclinations, so becoming to a lawyer, were a permanent influence in the growth of Judge Sanders, and they bore fruit in the erudition and rare professional attainments which were manifest in this accomplished attorney.

In the early days of manhood Judge Sanders was a teacher, and in this important vocation the same painstaking care and fidelity to duty that were characteristic of the man as a lawyer dominated his work in the school room. His pedagogic labors contributed to his attainments the trait of lucidity in argument and pleadings, as well as making him realize the necessity for exactitude in detail work.

In Elba and Coffee County the subject of this tribute came into the full realization of his powers; he made the lasting good name which survives his mortal frame, and here he attained that distinction and wrought those achievements that made him noteworthy in this day and generation. In 1898 Judge Sanders removed to Elba and opened an office for the practice of his profession. Within a year he was, as Mayor of the Town, engaged in the great task of giving the County its first great public school, housed in the ornate and lasting edifice of brick and stone which was an epoch marking monument in the progress of education in Alabama, demonstrating the fact that Alabama had begun to realize her priceless opportunities and imperative duties in the preparation of the youth for the tasks of life. Educational progress so short a time ago was imperious to an extent that made the work done by pioneers of the new school somewhat of a warfare. No portion of Judge Sanders' life-work called for loftier endeavor and nobler purposes than those he spent for Elba's school interests.

After placing his practice on a substantial basis, Judge Sanders took unto himself a help-mate from among Coffee's fair daughters, and in no portion of his career was his discriminating taste more manifest. A love-match, this mating was yet purer, in that congenial tastes and qualities of heart and mind made theirs a helpful union. The home life of Judge and Mrs. Sanders was well-nigh ideal; as husband and father Judge Sanders was what was through being possessed of

great man, whose character is fundamentally strong, a certain moral shyness which accompanied his every word and work. Such an one makes no appeal for himself, no claim to public or private gratitude or manifestation of personal approval. He thinks and works and speaks for his cause alone, and is content for that to stand as his interpreter. And at last it is true of every man who has served his generation, that we must arise "from the knowledge of what he did to the knowledge of what he was." Judge Sanders wore his heart not upon his sleeve. His charming good nature, like that of most deep-thinking, studious men, was not on general and public display. Ever present was a desire, not to be left alone, but to let alone others unless he was sure that his advances would be welcome—a quality that in our poverty of expression we call "reserve." Yet, to those to whom it was given to know and appreciate him for what he was a character, a brilliant conversationalist, an earnest and thoughtful patriot who was zealous for causes he deemed right, and was moreover a faithful, loving friend.

At the zenith of his career, in the prime of his young manhood, in the midst of his best and most fruitful labors, he has been called from among us, taking his departure on Tuesday, October 3rd, 1911, at the age of thirty-eight years. In consideration of the promises; and as a token of our sorrow and a tribute to the worth of our departed friend and brother, and as a memorial of his ability and achievements,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BAR AT ELBA, ALABAMA, IN MEETING ASSEMBLED: That the legal profession of Alabama has lost one of its leading lights, the public one of its most faithful servants, and our community one of its best citizens in the death of Judge J. F. Sanders, whose attainments were a credit to the profession and a source of just pride to brother-lawyers, friends and loved ones.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That we deplore his untimely demise, but bow in humble submission to the will of Him Who is the Source and Fountain Head of Law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That we strive to emulate his virtues, to pattern after his loyalty, fidelity and industry, and to take for our own those noble qualities of heart and mind that so adorned the great lawyer, Judge J. F. Sanders.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That we tender our heart-felt sympathy to the loving wife and little daughters in this greatest of bereavements, this irreparable loss of devoted help-mate and parent, pointing them to the Father above, Who doeth all things well, and Who alone can afford solace and consolation.

That copies hereof be furnished the bereaved ones and the press for publication.

John Sharp Williams
Declares for Wilson.

Mobile, Oct. 11.—A Meridian, Miss., special says that United States Senator John Sharp Williams, on being asked who he favored for the nomination of the democrats for the presidency, without hesitation declared in favor of Woodrow Wilson, saying that he considered the New Jersey governor the most available candidate, speaking in the highest terms of him.

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BRICKELL NAMED TO ASSIST EVANS

Thorough Probe of Rumors Promised.

Montgomery Journal.

Governor O'Neal has directed Attorney-General Brickell to share with R. B. Evans in the investigation of the Jefferson county charges of "graft" which have been rumored in connection with four state officials and employees. The attorney-general is given authority to coordinate with Mr. Evans in handling the probe, and the two will operate in securing thorough probe of the alleged irregularities.

The investigation will begin at Birmingham Thursday morning, October 19. It is expected that a number of witnesses will be examined both for and against the men whose names have been connected with the reports. There is, however, no legal way of summoning witnesses to the investigation. It is presumed, however, that means will be provided, as was indicated by the governor on Wednesday.

"I will see that the witnesses will get there," said the chief executive.

There were no developments to speak of on Wednesday in the Jefferson county "graft" rumors. The governor stated there was nothing new in the situation except that Mr. Brickell has been asked to cooperate with Mr. Evans on behalf of the state. The executive said that he expected the probe to be thorough, and he declared that the investigation will be open to the public.

The men whose names have been connected with the rumors under scrutiny are: Leon McCord, associate railroad commissioner; James G. Oakley, president, department, and P. G. Bowman, tax commissioner of Jefferson county.

The Birmingham Age-Herald on Wednesday indicated that the rumors placed the amount involved in the alleged transactions at from \$50,000 to \$100,000. The alleged transactions, according to the reports, occurred during the local option campaign in Jefferson county.

None of the men whose names have been coupled with the alleged indiscretion had anything further to say for publication Wednesday.

Report of The Civic Improvement Club.

The Civic Improvement and Memorial Club met in regular session Oct. 6th, at the home of Mrs. Frank Rainer.

The minutes recorded the fact that a new well has been dug and nicely walled at the cemetery, for the purpose of watering the flowers and grass. This was paid for by a special donation from individuals.

Resolutions were adopted that an effort will be made to create a fund by yearly subscriptions to employ a sexton for the cemetery during the summer months, and that the Club plant some trees on the public square, and elsewhere in the town. In the latter enterprise, the ladies most earnestly beg the co-operation of the citizens, in that they will plant trees around their own property; and that the School Board and Superintendent have trees planted on the school campus.

Cornell University is conceded to have the most beautiful setting of any University in the United States, and President Schurman of that University, estimates that five per cent of the educational value enjoyed by the students, comes from the scenery by which

they are surrounded. There is no doubt of the great benefit derived from communion with nature, giving as it does as much satisfaction as a concert of rare music, or the reading of a good book. As the outlay of money need be small, it is hoped that each will do something toward making Elba beautiful.

It was suggested that a request be made of the merchants to use more care in making their stores attractive both in show windows and on the inside. Elba, it has been said by some, is in advance of many small towns in this respect, but there is yet room for improvement.

Cor. Sec., C. I. Club.

In Memory of S. Hardy Nolin.

Whereas, it has pleased the Supreme Grand Master of the universe, to call Bro. Hardy Nolin from labor below to refreshments in that celestial Lodge above; and Whereas, in the untimely death of Bro. Nolin the Independent Order of Odd Fellows who have lost a useful member and the vacant chair reminds us of the fleeting of time and the certainty of death.

Bro. Nolin has only passed the final beacon toward which all men are treading. The Grim Monster, death, dropped his fatal shaft on Bro. Nolin Oct. 2, 1911, in the city of Mobile, Ala., where he had been for a few days in an infirmary for treatment.

Bro. Nolin came to Coffee County, Ala., from Barbour County, Ala., settling near Victoria in the year 1894. He was married to Mrs. Florence Rachel in 1890, who together with 4 sons and 5 daughters still survive him.

Bro. Nolin joined the Victoria Lodge No. 444, I. O. O. F., May 7, 1911 and retained membership in said lodge at time of his death. Therefore, be it resolved by said lodge that while we meekly bow to the will of God in this sad dispensation of Providence, we mourn his loss both as a citizen and an Odd Fellow, feeling truly that our loss is his eternal gain.

Resolution 2. That to the bereaved wife and fatherless children, we truly sympathize with them and their loss which is irreparable. We have no control but tender our true and sincere condolences and point them to the author of friendship, love and truth as the only solace in their sad bereavement, and when we pass the newly made grave and drop a sympathetic tear, we will ever remember the widow and orphan in friendship and love.

Resolution 3. That these resolutions be recorded in the records of Victoria Lodge No. 444, and a copy be sent to the widow also that a copy be sent to the Elba Clipper for publication.

Fraternally submitted in F. L. T.

J. Z. Brooks,
J. F. Patterson,
Committee.

Warren Reese is Exonerated.

Washington, Oct. 11.—For the third time within eighteen months Warren S. Reese, district attorney of Montgomery, Ala., has been exonerated by the attorney-general on charges preferred against him. It is intimated that Mr. Wickham is likely to look into the course of the official who made the allegations upon which the latest investigation was based to determine whether he was actuated by official zeal or personal animosity.

There were a number of charges preferred against Mr. Reese, the most important of which was that he had used his official position as district attorney to collect private claims against a loan investment company of Montgomery.

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